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Re: An additional inquiry #09/769,880

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Memo attached. Please let me know your thoughts. Thank you.

Megan

MEMO

TO: USPTO

Talivaldis Smits

RE: Proposed Response to Office Action

DRAFT

Application No. 09/769,880

First named inventor : Bertrand A. Damiba

FROM: BeVocal, Inc.

DATE: August 19, 2003

Examiner Smits,

After further review we considered a different approach from what was discussed on the phone. Would the following approach be acceptable? (and we'd make the corresponding changes in the other claims and send the amended claims in our formal response etc.)

In 1(e) change to read:

"a human being utilizing the information and the transcriptions to make changes to the application to improve the speech recognition accuracy"

and then adding a dependent claim such as:

"the method as recited in claim 1, wherein the changes include one or a plurality of the following: changing recognition grammar coverage; amending or altering the phonetic dictionaries; testing against multiple acoustic model sets; changing recognition engine parameters; changing endpointing parameters."

Please advise.

Thanks.

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